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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 03495.0050-16

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Marc ALIZON et al.) Group Art Unit: 1648
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Appln. No.: 09/988,213) Examiner: Parkin, J.
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Filed: November 19, 2001) Confirmation No. 8195
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For: Nucleic Acids Containing the)
Human Immunodeficiency Virus)
Type 2 (HIV-2) Pol Gene And A)
Method for Producing a)
Polypeptide Encoded By The)
Nucleic Acids)
(Amended Title))

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action dated December 29, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.